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Freedom of Information Act request, IMPFOI-23-510, Asbestos in College buildings Imperial College response

The College has in place a comprehensive [Asbestos Management Plan](#). As part of the Asbestos Management Plan, the Asbestos Management team at the College have a mandate to undertake all necessary works for the safe maintenance of asbestos and asbestos containing materials, and its removal where necessary.

- 1. Do any of the buildings at Imperial College London contain asbestos?**
- 2. If yes, please outline how many university-owned buildings contain asbestos, which buildings these are and if any of these are student accommodation.**

There are 63 Imperial Buildings with Asbestos Containing Materials (ACMs), 12 of these are Halls of Residences the remainder being academic buildings.

- 3. Have there been any health problems as a result reported to the university in the last 10 years? Please detail how many and their nature.**

The College does not hold a record of health problems “reported to the university”. The College has settled three claims in the time-period specified relating to historic asbestos exposure (there are no outstanding claims).

- 4. Has the university paid any compensation to students, and if so, how many and how much money in total in 10 years?**

The College has not paid any compensation to students (including former students) over the past ten years for claims relating to asbestos exposure.